30th July 1926.

Srinagar.

Kashmir.

Your Highness.

Please accept my very grateful thanks for Your Highness' very kind letter and photograph: I shall always treasure the photograph as the gift of a very gracious Prince - I know that our Maharaja is only awaiting an opportunity of availing Himself of Your Highness' kind invitation to visit Haydore. He is not only anxious to have the pleasure of meeting Your Highness again but is keen to see & study Your Highness well known institutions & methods of Government. We were driving into Srinagar last evening and

His Highness noticed that another light was
kindled in the vicinity of the "Pratap-Vilas". He
directed me to have it removed at once and
said that nothing must be allowed to detract
in any way from His Highness's magnificent conception. The temple is a magnificent sight at night not only does the "Pratap-Vilas" shimmer on the pinnacle like a great star, but the whole temple is illuminated by means of concealed reflectors and looks as if it was carved out of a great pearl!. I hope that it will not be long before Your Highness is able to see it for yourself.
H.H. has decided not to go to live in Sukkur this year as he has so much to do. He has been touring in the State & much good has resulted. His Highness of Khairpur & Pagara are here at present staying with H.H and their Highnesses of Bikaner & Bahawalpur are coming in the autumn. I hope Your Highness is very fit and that the weather is behaving

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